

July 4th Schedule

Thursday, July 4

Parade — 12 Noon

(Parade route: Corner of Lake and Maple to Michigan Avenue and to Courthouse.)

Grease Pole — 1 p.m.

City Park

Tug-of-War — 2 p.m.

Across river at City Park

Coin Sand Box — 3 p.m.

City Park

Free Watermelon — 4 p.m.

City Park

Fireworks — Dusk

Camp Grayling Beach

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Guardsman Killed In Auto Accident

Richard Bond, Jr., 28, of Fostoria, was killed when his private truck went off County Road 612 and struck a tree. Crawford County Sheriff deputies said Bond lost control of his vehicle and skidded in woods on the north side of 612 near Jones Lake. The accident occurred about 6:20 p.m. June 27. Bond was a member of the Michigan National Guard attending annual training at Camp Grayling.

Guardsman Injured by Boat While Swimming at Lake

Stuart Malafa, 29, of Grandville, suffered severe cuts to his feet when a speed boat ran over him at Lake Margrethe. Malafa was swimming about 175 feet off shore by the M-72 beach with a woman about 10:30 p.m. June 26 when a red and white speed boat ran over both of them. Malafa was taken to Mercy Hospital by the ambulance corps and transferred to Munson Medical Center by a national guard helicopter. The woman was not hurt. The driver of the boat is still being sought and anyone with information can call the sheriff dept.

Detroit Man Robbed Here

Howard Williams, 20, of Detroit, was assaulted and robbed Saturday morning while hitchhiking to Camp Grayling. Williams told sheriff deputies he was picked up by five persons in a gray or light blue Chevette about 1:30 a.m. and taken to a trail where he was assaulted and his wallet taken.

Shots Fired in Assault

A national guard woman filed a complaint against her husband after he fired a shot near her feet. The woman was with another national guardsman June 28 about 2:30 a.m. along M-72 near Down River Pines when her husband chased them in another car. The vehicles stopped and the woman was outside her car when her husband came up and fired a shot. Sheriff deputies said the woman is considering dropping the charge of felonious assault against him.

Range Firing Conducted

The Small Arms Ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd, east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM 8 July 1985 and cease at 12:00 PM 10 July 1985.

The Mortar Range located south of Main Post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Rd and on the east by Carrier Rd. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM 9 July 1985 and cease at 12:00 PM 10 July 1985.

The Demolition Ranges located south of Howe Rd, west of the Crawford County Line, north of Daniels Rd and east of the gas pipeline. Firing will begin at N/A and cease at N/A.

The Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Rd, east of Jones Lake Rd, south of County Rd 612 and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM 5 July 1985 and cease at 12:00 PM 10 July 1985.

The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 8:00 AM 5 July 1985 and cease at 12:00 PM 10 July 1985.

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

| June | High | Low |
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| 25 | 76 | 40 |
| 26 | 79 | 45 |
| 27 | 81 | 47 |
| 28 | 83 | 41 |
| 29 | 83 | 50 |
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SUMMERTIME SANTA — Don Cramer, who has made Santa appearances for more than 30 years, visited Grayling children in the city park last Friday. Santa told them he was on summer vacation passing through Grayling and he didn't bring his reindeer here because he heard they shoot deer in Grayling. Cramer, a Croswell resident, was part of the Michigan Air Tour group which visited Grayling airport. (More on the air tour visit in next week's Avalanche). Visiting with Santa in this photo is Kristin Ockerman. (Jon Thompson Photo)

Military Board, GRA Meeting Beneficial To Hanson Hills Park

Two days of meetings last Wednesday and Thursday with the Military Board gave the Grayling Recreation Authority helpful guidelines for operating Hanson Hills, according to GRA chairman Marty VanDeVen.

"The meetings were just what we needed. No one had ever fully explained what could be done under our lease. Now we have a good idea what we can do," said VanDeVen.

The state owns the 360-acre Hanson Hills parcel and leases it to the GRA, which operates the park.

"The Military Board was very co-operative and General Mathieu helped us straighten communication lines between the GRA and the Attorney General's office."

VanDeVen said the Attorney General's office is going to be working on defining recreation — one of four uses permitted at the site under the original stipulation of the land grant. Rasmus Hanson donated the land to the state for use only as a forest

game preserve, as a military encampment area, for education, and for recreation.

"How do you define recreation?" asked VanDeVen. "It's a very open term. You could drive a truck through it. The Attorney General's office is going to be working on more guidelines for what we can actually do out at the park under recreation."

VanDeVen says the GRA is asking for a 25-year extension of the lease which expires 1991. He said the Military Board may let the current lease expire in 1991 so they can rewrite some requirements in the lease that were part of a 1977 consent judgement.

VanDeVen said the military board has been very sympathetic to the GRA's operations and appreciates the work the GRA has done at the park.

VanDeVen said the GRA is trying to turn the park into a self-supporting year-round operation. Last fall, the county voters gave their approval to a .25 millage for two years to help keep the park open.

Accident Victim Wins Verdict

A Crawford County jury recently awarded a woman injured in a 1977 automobile accident \$35,000.00. The accident occurred at the intersection of M-72 and McMasters Bridge Road, east of Grayling.

Treasure Perry, formerly of Lovells, was a passenger in a truck being driven by her late husband, Laverne Perry, who died from injuries in the accident.

Mrs. Perry brought suit for her own injuries against the owner of the other vehicle, Louis Mihaly, an Ohio resident.

It was alleged that Laverne Perry ran a stop sign at the intersection. However, the driver of the Ohio vehicle failed to keep a proper lookout and was at fault in causing the accident.

Together with interest and court costs, the verdict will approach \$55,000.00.

Mrs. Perry was represented by Janet M. Allen, a partner in the Gaylord law firm of Rensberry, Kaufman, Nelson, Petruska & Allen, P.C.

One hundred children, grades Kindergarten - 6th, 35 pre-schoolers, and about 50 volunteer adults, spent their mornings in ten family tents on the lawn and attending many Bibletime crafts, storytelling, music, and pretzel making.

This kind of learning is called experimental, because the children actually experience what life might have been like in Jesus' time. They saw the town beggar being arrested by the Roman soldier and dragged through the marketplace. They experienced having to give one of their three precious coins to "Zacchaeus" the taxpayer every

day. Then they saw "Jesus" help "Zacchaeus" change his ways, and Zacchaeus really give back some coins he had cheated from them. Then they could spend their extra money at the candymakers shop.

They made bricks from real clay and straw and used them to build an altar at the end of the week. Making sand candles, shell wind chimes, beads, sandals, painting a mural, and dying money pouches with wild blueberries were some of the Bibletime crafts. Carpenters helped them build from wood and a weaver made a Bibletime loom that the children used to make a piece of tapestry.

The children learned Bible songs and stories and listened to "John the Baptist", a doctor, and the "Woman at the Well".

The three churches spent many months preparing for this event, but they feel that the spirit of cooperation and the joy in the experience makes the time very well spent.

Vinyl Covering Eyed For County Landfill

A vinyl cover may be used to cap the old 20-acre Crawford-Otsego landfill instead of a clay covering.

Crawford County Commissioner John Miller says the vinyl cover will cost less than a clay cover.

The cost of a clay cover put on by a contractor is estimated at \$300,000. Miller was checking into reducing that amount to \$200,000 by using the landfill crew and equipment to compact the clay.

But both estimates were based on obtaining clay for free from the DNR from a Bald Hill site.

Miller recently learned it would cost \$8,000 in engineering costs and \$54,000 in excavating labor to meet the requirements for clay permits. The DNR would require two spawning ponds to be built where the clay is extracted. The rest of the area around the ponds would have to be graded, top-soil brought in and seeded, with a gravel road built to the ponds.

Miller is now checking into covering the 20-acre old landfill with 20-mil vinyl beginning with five acres this year.

Miller wants to start with only five acres because a five-acre spot has the worst contamination and there's enough money in the landfill's checkbook to pay for five acres. There's also a chance a new state bill 9940 may pass which will help pay to clean up old landfills. The new bill won't reimburse counties for work already completed.

The cost of the vinyl is about \$31,000 for five acres. There's also the cost of placing 20 inches of dirt on top of the vinyl and four inches of top-soil. Miller figures to save some money by having a contractor dig trenches.

Miller said every landfill in northern Michigan has problems that must be taken care of. He said it's a problem that you can't walk away from.

If the vinyl cover doesn't take care of the contamination, the next step will probably be recovery wells, he said. The 12 to 20-inch wells pump out ground water, separate the good water, and boil the polluted water. The recovery wells cost about \$50,000 a piece.

The monitor wells at the landfill checking on contamination from the old landfill are clearing, Miller said.

He said the amounts never reached serious levels but had to be watched carefully because of residences less than 2000 feet away.

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Tanks Trespass Through Kirtland's Warblers Area

A national guard platoon leader had to pay \$105 in fines in 83rd District Court in Crawford County for leading nine M-60 tanks through a Kirtland's warbler nesting area on June 17.

None of the endangered warblers were found killed in the beaten path of the tanks, but DNR biologists said there were birds in the area and the disruption could have an undesirable effect on nesting success.

DNR Conservation Officer Bruce Patrick, who arrested tank platoon leader Lt. Charles Holwerda, 35, of Grand Rapids, said it was fortunate for the birds the tanks were in single file.

Communication System Links Home To Emergency Service

The Grayling Kiwanis Club donated \$800 to Grayling Mercy Hospital to help finance the Communi-Call system being implemented at the hospital. Communi-Call is a device which can be installed in the home connected to the telephone permitting direct contact with a 24-hour support center. The system is activated by a transmitter carried by the user.

The transmitter will activate the unit up to 200 feet away, and two-way voice communication is possible from as far away from the unit as 50 feet. Trained operators have complete medical records and other information on all subscribers at their fingertips. The system is both an emergency system and a social system. Mercy Hospital is trying to raise \$4,000 in the community to

support the project.

The Communi-Call units are a product of Health Care Technology Corporation (HCTC) in Hamden, Connecticut. The units are used primarily by individuals who live alone, are handicapped, or have medical problems that make it difficult or impossible for them to live alone.

Units are currently available at Mercy Hospital. A monthly monitoring fee is the only charge to the user. The Hospital receives a statement each month from HCTC in Hamden, Connecticut, of all calls made by individuals on the system.

Jim Packard, vice president of planning and marketing at Mercy, said several thousand of the units are in operation throughout the country.

See Communi-Call on P. 14



BIBLETIME MARKETPLACE — Reverend Derik Roy, Jr., played John the Baptist at the bibletime marketplace and used a modern garden hose to splash water on the children later.

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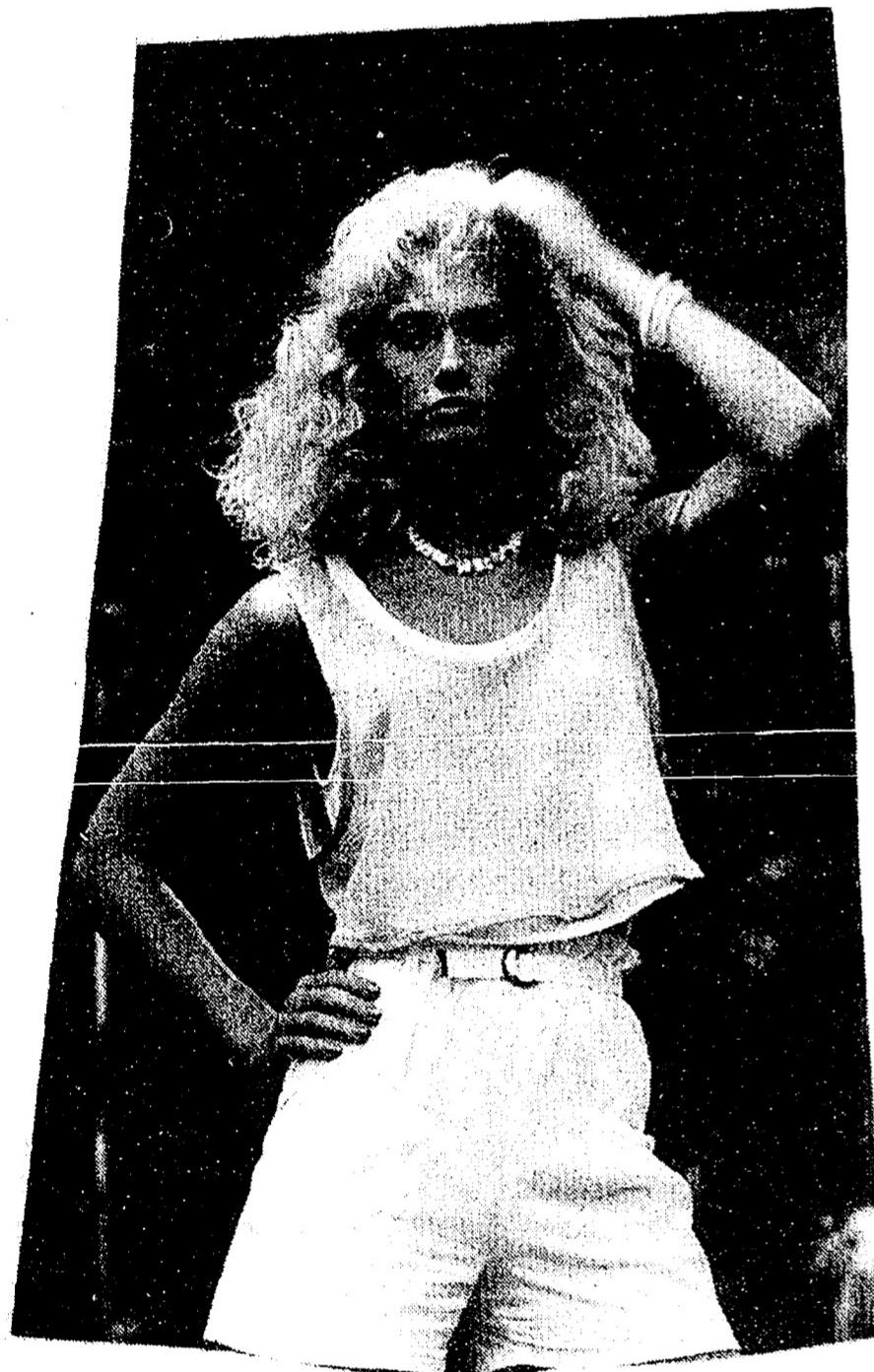
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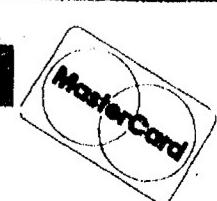
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Whitney Madsen

From Our Corner...



We picked the wrong Tiger game to go and watch...if it wasn't for bad luck, we wouldn't have any luck at all...we were among the 48,002 fans at the Tiger-Toronto Blue Jays game on Friday night when the Jays made the Tigers play like pussycats...Dave Stieb held the Tigers to just three hits, gave up only two walks, and nary a Tiger reached third base...George Bell proved the difference as he hit a homer in the second inning with one on that turned out to be the ball game...although it was nice to walk into Tiger Stadium once again...

Tiger pitcher Dan Petry, except for the one bad pitch to Bell was dang good himself, it was strictly a pitchers game, and really not the kind I like...there just wasn't the excitement as when runs are scored by both teams, rather than watching strike outs, infield outs, or routine fly balls...except for a couple long balls caught at the fence, the game was bore-some to us...only Blue Jays fans had anything to cheer about...

Now, Saturday nights game, of which we watched from the davenport was what we wish would have happened Friday night...the Tigers turned the tables on the Jays and beat them 8-zip, to crawl back to 2 and a half games behind...if this had happened Friday it would have made the long trip home more pleasant...

The Blue Jays are certainly for real, and to us they have to be reckoned with...they certainly didn't lay down and play dead to last year's world champs...they chased the Tigers last year, and now it is the Tigers turn...Tiger Manager Sparky Anderson keeps saying that games now are not too important, it is the games during the dog days of September that will tell which team is the best...all we think about, is games won now, count as much as those in September, and are ones you don't have to worry about winning later...

The ol' fella, along with Vern Gardiner, Grayling's Grey Eagle were guests of Ron Fraser, keeper of the keys to Grayling's Holiday Inn, and owner of the Le Coache bus tours that run out of Grayling...I think there are a couple more Tiger games later that Le Coache will be making, and we may say, if you have any hesitation about going on one of these trips, take it from me, go...it is a lot of fun, and like the saying goes, take a bus, and leave the driving to us...get a few friends and pack lunches and join in the tour...it's fun...

Making the Tiger trip Friday night were people from West Branch, Houghton Lake and Graylingites who have caught the Tiger Fever...to name a few from here were, Bill and Irene Gildner, Whitney Burse, Eldee Norman, Mike and Riley McNamara...we were remiss by not getting a young gal's name who was along with Eldee...she saved the ol' fella from starving after the game...she gave us a ham sandwich that Vern and I split, we had planned on getting another hot dog on the way out of the stadium but, they had turned off the stoves...anyway, to our stranger, thanks much from Vern and I...

An idle thought...had the scores of the games been in reverse, 8-0 instead of 2-0, the contingent of Canucks that were a couple rows down from us wouldn't have been so noisy...it was like sitting in the midst of the enemy...

One last note on Friday night's excursion...if you are traveling and in a hurry, and hungry, try Toney's at the Birch Run exit on 75...they are fast, and we almost would defy you to eat all of the food they serve you...a special tip of the derby to Jerry Bishop, our driver who did a masterful job...

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This is going to be a fast week for the ol' fella, we probably shouldn't have played hookie last Friday...we have just Monday this week to put the finishing touches on your favorite paper as we go to press Tuesday morning...this will get the Avalanche to our readers before the Fourth celebration...check the schedule on page one for the happenings here...

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With that, we bid T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to all of our readers have a nice weekend, and a safe, sane Fourth...remember, Buckle Up, It's the Law...just one more to contend to...

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago
July 5, 1962

Miss Anne Marie Church was 14 years old June 23rd, and to celebrate the occasion she invited her grandparents, the Herbert Stephens, for a family dinner which she helped to prepare. Anne Marie's brother, Steve, was 7 years old June 7th, and for his celebration he invited ten young men over to play games in the afternoon, followed by birthday cake and ice cream.

To celebrate her 12th birthday, Miss Mary Lee Marshall, invited fifteen young ladies to her home on her anniversary, June 25th, to spend an afternoon with games and traditional birthday cake and ice cream. She received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Madsen, Jr. spent four days fishing at Hubert in the Upper Peninsula at the Madsen cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson plan to spend the weekend at Bois Blanc Island, vacationing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Worden of Pontiac have a daughter, Susan, born July 3rd, weighing 7 lbs. plus. Her grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Art Worden, also she has great grandmothers, Mrs. George Smith of Kingsley and Mrs. Oscar Roberts of Onaway.

Mrs. John Alef was hostess to a group of ladies at her home Thursday evening, the occasion being a kitchen shower for Miss Marjorie Wolff. Co-hostess was Mrs. Thomas Welsh. Assisting the bride-elect in opening her gifts was Miss Nancy Wilcox who also poured during the refreshments served afterwards. The theme of the shower was carried out in pink and green, from the table appointments to the flowers and even the food. It was a most enjoyable evening for all.

Conservation Department workers this week are in the midst of planting approximately 255,000 largemouth bass, muskellunge, and walleye pike fingerlings in a continued effort to boost warmwater fishing in problem lakes of Michigan. Amongst the planting will be the release of 20,000 walleye fingerlings in Lake Margrethe, Crawford County.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kauman, the former being associated with the Ira Kaufman Funeral Home in Southfield, stopped in to see the Derek McEvers' and the A.J. Sorensons recently.

David Blaha spent ten days recently in Whitten, Iowa, with his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. George Blaha.

Nancy Carol is the name of the daughter born June 27th to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bidvia at Muskegon Mercy Hospital. Herman Bidvia of Grayling is the young lady's grandfather.

Emil Kraus is visiting friends in Hurley, Wisconsin, for a few days.

Miss Maggie Parker of Lansing is the guest of Mrs. C.W. Green, arriving Wednesday.

Axel Peterson of the M.C.R.R. freight office, has been spending a few days in Toledo. He returned home today.

Miss Ingrid Jorgenson of this office spent several days in Detroit visiting relatives.

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The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

AMERICAN PATRIOTISM

A patriot is one who loves his country. In a sense Americanism and Patriotism are identical to many of us. Theodore Roosevelt said, "Americanism means the virtues of courage, honor, justice, sincerity, and hard work: the virtues that made America." In a more technical sense the basic principles of Americanism are "law," "freedom," and "limited government." American Patriotism started with the birth of our country on July 4, 1776 with the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

Was it Christian to declare our independence from Great Britain in 1776? Was it Christian to fight a revolutionary war to have our "freedom" and "limited government?" Should our Christian forefathers have remained in subjection to the unfair taxes without representation? Only by belief in absolutes revealed by a sovereign God can we justify such action. "Lex Rex," written by Samuel Rutherford, undermined the "divine right of kings", and established the "divine right of law." "Lex Rex" means "Law is King." Our forefathers believed God had revealed absolutes in the Bible which were a basis for absolute law. They believed all men are under such absolute law. Men may enter into contracts with government, but when government breaks God's absolute law, then men must rebel against that government and re-establish government based upon God's laws.

Please read again the Preamble to our Declaration of Independence: "When in the Course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to

which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impell them to the separation."

Note carefully that our forefathers believed God established this earth to consist of "separate and equal" nations. They believed such unalienable Rights were a gift from God to which they were entitled. To close the Declaration of Independence, they wrote, "And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor."

Having founded a country based upon belief in the absolute authority of God's law, and having placed their firm reliance on the protection of this divine Providence, they became true American Patriots by pledging loyalty to their country over reputation, wealth, or even life. This is American Patriotism!

Pastor "B"

WPHN Radio

Rally July 7th

Dave Malin, station manager of the Northern Christians Radio FM station at Gaylord, will be speaking at the 10 AM and 11 AM services at the Grayling Free Methodist Church on Sunday, July 7.

The powerful new 100,000 watt station is a member of the Moody Broadcasting Network and presents Christian programming 24-hours daily.

The station, whose call letters stand for "We Praise His Name," has been broadcasting since Easter Sunday of this year and is supported by many churches and individuals throughout Northern Michigan and parts of Canada. The public is invited to this radio rally.

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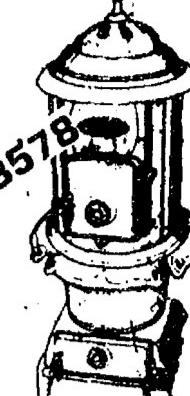
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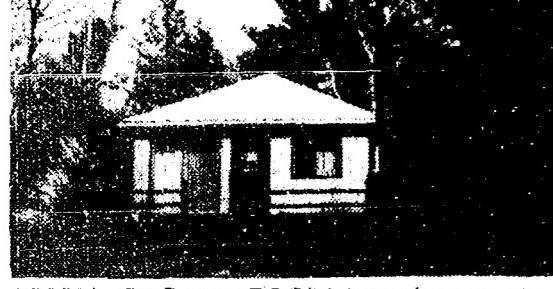
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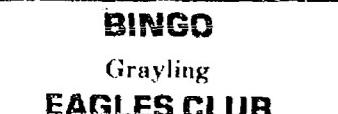
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Youth Service Bureau

The second week of our summer recreation program was even better than the first, the weather was great for all the activities. We had a fun filled week that was enjoyed by all!

We started off our week with a picnic and tour of the grounds at Hartwick Pines State Park and played a couple of exciting games of softball. Tuesdays group had lots of fun cool' in off at Pine Knoll pool. We went golfing at Milltown Miniature Golf on Wednesday. We returned to Hartwick Pines with our Thursdays group, they also toured the grounds, had a picnic, and played a couple of 'mean' games of ball, we've got a bunch of great players!!

Next weeks activities will be: Monday and Tuesday swimming at Pine Knoll, Wednesday we will be at Milltown Miniature Golf. Mio's summer recreation kids will be joining us for Tuesdays and Wednesdays activities which should be great fun!! Thursday, July 4th there will be no activity on account of the holiday.

Our staff would like to thank Larry Gust of Pine Knoll, the kids always have such a great time at the pool, also we'd like to thank Missy Madsen of Milltown Miniature Golf and a big thanks to Bonnie O'Dell for the transportation for Hartwick Pines!

The Youth Service Bureau is a Crawford County United Way supported agency.

Citizens Bank Employees Reject UAW

We are pleased to announce that employees of Citizens Commercial & Savings Bank, Flint, voted to reject affiliation with the United Auto Workers.

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Kea is a graduate of Grayling High School and the daughter of Ronald and Sandra Kea.

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Approximately 760 employees were eligible to vote for representation by the union. Voting 418 for the Bank and 286 for the UAW, Citizens employees said "no" to union intervention.

Charles R. Weeks, President of Citizens Bank, said the Bank has been confident during the entire campaign that its employees would continue to support the Bank as it always has in the past.

He stated that, in his opinion, the United Auto Workers' objective was to increase its membership which has been diminished severely as a result of reductions in the auto work force.

He also noted that the UAW, in its membership drive, is attempting to replace the Michigan State Employees Association as the bargaining agent for the 27,000 employees of the State of Michigan.

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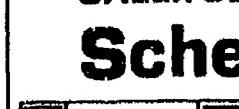
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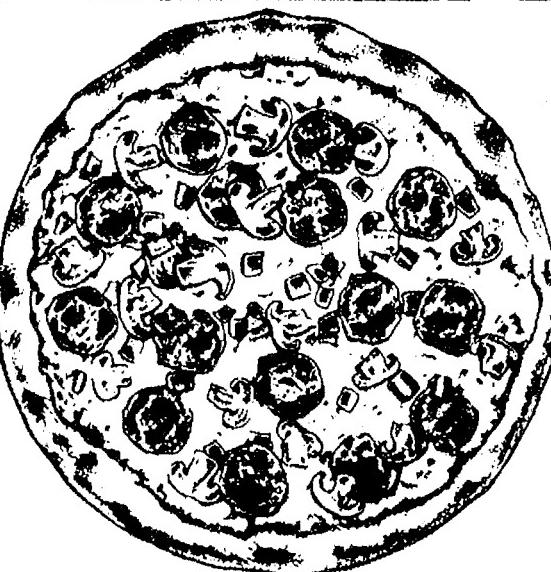
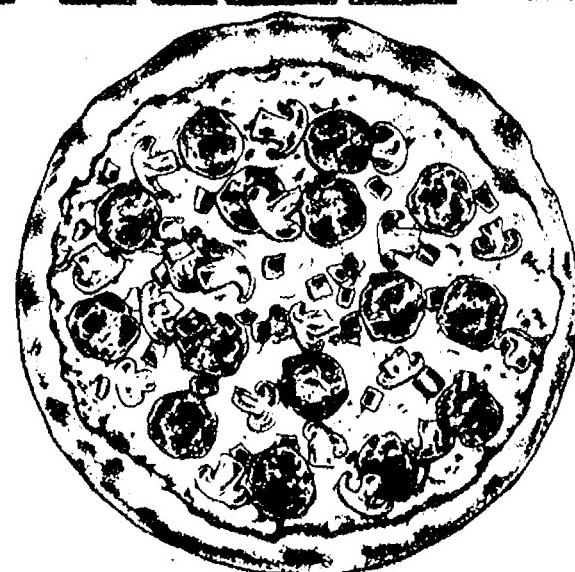
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The registration deadline for the Grayling Milltown Junior Trivial Pursuit Contest has been extended to Tuesday, July 9th. The contest is open to students who have completed the fourth, fifth, or sixth grades. All contestants will receive prizes and the first place finisher will receive a \$100 savings bond. Second and third place finishers will receive \$50 savings bonds. Questions will be taken from the official young peoples trivial pursuit game with the addition of a spelling category.

To enter, drop off your name and address with a parent's permission signature to Mac's Drugs or mail to Trivial Pursuit, 122 Michigan Ave., Grayling. The contest is sponsored by the Grayling Promotional Association. The contest will be held Wednesday, July 24, at 10 a.m. in the Grayling Middle School gym.

GPA plans a busy day for kids during the Milltown Festival on July 24th, watch for the Kid's Day Schedule of Events in coming issues.

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"Golden Parachute" A Sad Affair

by Richard Milliman

THOSE CRIES of anguish arising from mid-Michigan these days are caused by the separation settlement awarded to Harold Abel as he packs up to leave his job as president of Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant.

Dr. Abel will take with him a check for more than \$315,000 — which isn't too bad, considering he is leaving under pressure. Out in the real world, most of us would say he was fired; in academia, he is resigning.

Either way, the \$35,000 handed to Dr. Abel as he walks out the door is causing a lot of eyebrows to be raised around the state — and properly so.

THE SUM is made up of four main parts:

— \$130,685 for salary, retirement and insurance for the next school year.

— Another \$121,165 for the year after that, on the basis that Abel is entitled to a sabbatical leave after 10 years on the job at Central.

— Another \$23,538 in retirement pay accrued during his 10 years at Central, plus vacation time which he has "earned" but not taken.

— Another \$40,000 in "transition" funds, so he can buy a house and other goodies which the university paid for as part of his fringe benefits when he was CMU president.

Altogether, that adds up to \$315,388. It also adds up to outrage, in my view.

As if that weren't enough, the CMU trustees also agreed to provide a luxury auto to Dr. Abel for his first year off the job, including all taxes, insurance, gasoline and service...and to provide him with lifetime health insurance.

WOW! That's quite a package of goodies, coming from a combination of taxpayers' dollars and students' tuition payments.

Separation settlements are not uncommon in private industry, nor in public education, either. They're commonly referred to as "golden parachutes," permitting the severed employee or official to float into his/her new life with a modicum of ease.

But Abel's settlement hits many folks right between the eyes.

IT'S NOT such a big deal, according to Abel. For example, the CMU trustees wanted him to leave his job while he still had a year to go on his contract, so they had to pay for that year, one way or another. In addition, sabbatical leaves are common educational practice, and a university president is first and foremost an educator, and should be entitled to a sabbatical leave — i.e., a year off with pay — after 10 years on the job.

As for accrued retirement pay and accrued vacation pay, those are his rights, as

they would be with any employee. The transition fund, the free car and the free insurance are a bit harder to understand and to rationalize.

Abel was paid \$100,300 a year as president, which seems to be the going rate for university presidents around the country. Look it up, CMU's annual budget is about \$100 million.

"**WE'RE TALKING** ABOUT 0.33 percent (of the annual budget), approximately for someone who has been there a decade," Abel said. "I wouldn't disagree that it's a lot of money. But I would say, compared to what? There is nothing exceptional about it."

Well, compared to students who are paid minimum wage or less and scrounge to earn money to pay for tuition, it's a lot of money.

Compared to parents who work two jobs, or postpone vacations, or sacrifice in other ways to help their children pay tuition, it's a lot of money.

Compared to wives who take care of children and hold outside jobs, too, and live in cramped student housing to help send their husbands through college, it's a lot of money.

Michigan undergraduates now pay \$48.50 per credit-hour in tuition at Central, up \$1.50 per hour next year. Take a calculator and figure out how many student tuition payments must be assigned to cover Abel's "golden parachute." Compared to those student payments, it's a lot of money.

UNFORTUNATELY, Dr. Abel is right in at least one area. Such treatment of departing educators or administrators is not all that exceptional. Abel's parachute may have a bit more golden tint to it, but the whole concept is repeated time and again, at colleges and universities in Michigan and across the country. Again, you can look it up.

The \$315,388 in exit payment — in a lump sum, yet — to a college administrator who, in essence, was fired, is understandably galling to every Michigan taxpayer and every Central student who — in a very real sense — will have to pay for it.

But of comparable concern is the attitude, expressed in this case by the departing Dr. Abel, that he is entitled to everything he can get:

"I wouldn't disagree that it's a lot of money. But...compared to what? There is nothing exceptional in it."

That's the attitude of way too many people who spend public funds, and who deal with them.

And that's the real tragedy of this whole sad Abel affair.

Michigan Mirror

Jury Lists Could Be Drawn From Drivers' License Lists

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Dir., MPA

programs."

"It is time to bring an end to the exploitation and needless suffering of thousands of dogs and cats that end up in pounds and shelters and then are sold to institutions for research purposes," DiNello said.

David Wills, executive director of the Michigan Humane Society, said the legislation would prohibit animals raised as pets for research, but not those animals raised for scientific uses.

"We believe that society has a particular responsibility towards those domesticated dogs and cats we call our pets, a duty that cannot be shirked because of scientific demands," he said.

The bills would, however, allow the use of pets, with existing ailments, in accredited veterinary technology programs at Michigan colleges.

LEGISLATION WOULD CREATE HIGH SPEED RAIL CORRIDOR

Legislation authorizing the development of a high speed rail line between Detroit and Chicago is being prepared by Representative Raymond Murphy (D-Detroit).

He said that in light of federal budget cuts, the state must take the lead in developing a high speed system which could boost tourism and spur small business development.

The proposed legislation would create a state authority to manage and operate the rail line, establish an advisory council for high speed rail, create a tri-state high speed rail commission in Michigan, Indiana, and Illinois, set standards for awarding a rail franchise, and provide for the issuance of notes and bonds to build the project.

BILL WOULD FORBID USE OF PETS FOR SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENTS

Legislation was introduced in the state Senate recently to prohibit the sale of pets in pounds to research facilities.

The bill, introduced by Senators Gilbert DiNello (D-East Detroit) and Harry DeMaso (R-Battle Creek), would make it a misdemeanor to sell or transfer animals to a research facility, prohibit transfer of such animals across state lines, and require all Michigan pounds and shelters to establish a "mandatory" pet neutering deposit.



BEAUTIFUL LAWN MUSIC — The 126th Michigan Band led by CW2 Paul Walters delighted downtown visitors with music under the shade of trees at the Grayling State Bank lawn. The 47-member band played jazz and big band tunes.

Roscommon Art Festival Saturday, July 13th

The Roscommon Arts Council and the Roscommon Association are presenting their fifth annual Roscommon Art Festival on Saturday, July 13 from 9:30 a.m.

to 5:30 p.m. in Wallace Park and on Lake Street (M-18) in the business district of Roscommon. Each summer, talented Michigan, local, and national artists and craftspersons gather in Roscommon to display their works and compete for prizes. The great variety of works entered in the juried

show include: painting, photography, graphics, stained or blown glass, pottery, jewelry, basketry, glass, fiber, wood, sculpture, drawing and print. Participating in the non-juried show will be woodworkers, dollmakers, china painters, painters, folk artisans, and many other skilled individuals.

This year the Business Association is donating up to \$500 in purchase awards with which to buy works from the winning artists. The Arts Council will contribute up to \$150. The judging committee will select 4 or 5 of the thirty artists who are entered in the juried show as prize winners. The committee will then select one piece of work for purchase from each winning artist. The exception to the new purchase award policy is that the Barbara Kiebler Award for "Best Local Artist" will still be awarded in cash. The judging will occur at 12 noon.

The works of art purchased this year will form the basis of a collection of art work for Roscommon. The collection will be added to in successive years by the same purchase award procedure. Individual pieces from the collection will be displayed around the community in offices or store fronts, etc., or they can be displayed as an entire collection in public places, such as libraries.

The performing arts are always a part of the festival and this year Barb and Charlie Schneider of Reed City are featured performers who will provide an hour of "Olde Tyme/Country/Blue Grass/Folk Music" between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m. in Wallace Park. They are multi-dimensional performers and will be part of the Wheatland Traditional Music Festival this September.

Roscommon's Autumn Sopscak will dazzle the audience with 20 minutes of jazz dancing in the Park. The Law Square Dancers will make their traditional appearance in front of the Male Box Store in the business district and also will be dancing in the pavilion in Wallace Park.

Also West Branch's songbird, Chris Colelaus, will be appearing with Tim Klacking for an hour of folk music and Mr. Grim Toast will delight the Wallace Park audiences with a half hour of storytelling. Pat Quinlin will be a wandering clown providing entertainment everywhere in the Village and Dick Fultz and Jim Marquardt return to the Festival again as the resident

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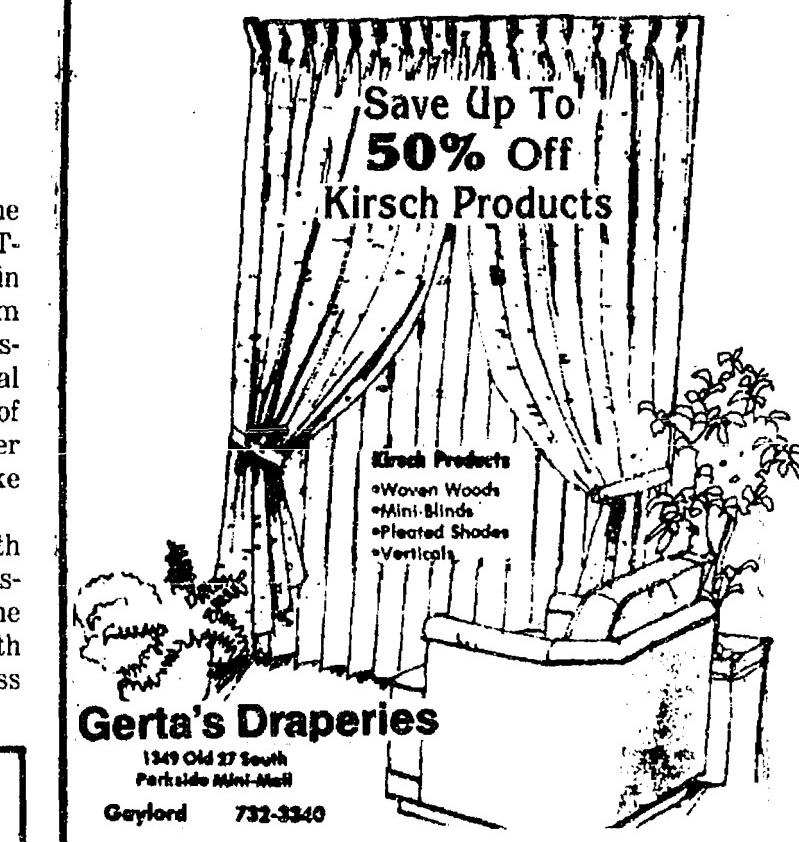
Miniature horses - shorter than 34 inches at the base of the mane - sometimes sell for over \$10,000, depending on their conformation and size.

jugglers. Festival Chairperson Julia Byron is currently negotiating with other performers to complete the day long bill of entertainment.

The artistic endeavors will be supported by other events in the village. The PTA and Co-op nursery will sponsor a creativity encouraging "paint pen" for the youngsters, the Kirtland Garden Club will hold a plant sale in front of the Roscommon NBD Bank, the Congregational Church will offer an Old Fashioned Pie and Ice Cream Social and the AAUW Used Book Sale will take place on the lawn of the Middle School. The Lion's Club will set up a concession stand near the park and the Boy Scouts will be selling lemonade to refresh the Festival goers. Festival T-shirts will be available in many colors and styles from T-Shirt Treasures. The Roscommon Area Historical Society will have a display of memorabilia in the former Gamble's Store on Lake Street.

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QUARTET TO APPEAR — "Reflections" of Trinity Bible College, Ellendale, North Dakota, will be singing at the Grayling Assembly of God, on Sunday evening, July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

The group is a mixed quartet from the college traveling throughout the upper Midwest. Their program consists of a variety of contemporary Christian styles. You will be inspired through their message in song and testimony.

The public is cordially invited to attend this special night of music.

Order Tickets Early!

Local Favorites To Appear in July
12, 13 Dinner Theatre Performance

Upon occasions in the past, the Grayling Holiday Inn has attempted to bring a bit of culture to the Grayling Community by providing dinner theatre. Some of these attempts have been well attended, others not so well. Now, theatre is once again being provided by the Holiday Inn, but this time with somewhat of a new twist. Rather than import outside semi-professional troupes, a local troupe has been organized and will present their first production on Friday and Saturday, July 12 and 13. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m., waitresses will

begin serving dinner at 6:30 and the show will begin at 8:00 p.m. For their first production, the group has selected the hilarious comedy Love, Sex and the I.R.S.

Appearing as Floyd Spiner, a not too typical I.R.S. auditor will be Daryl Holmes. Daryl, an administrator at Grayling Mercy Hospital recently appeared in a local production of M.A.S.H. which was presented as a hospital benefit.

Another member of the cast will be John Watkins, a 1982 graduate of Grayling High School and a strong supporter of local theatre. While in school, John was very active in the theatre program and appeared in the productions of Anything Goes, Guys and Dolls, The Rainmaker and others. John will be appearing in Love, Sex and the I.R.S. as Jon Trachtman, a young bachelor who attempts to save money on his income tax by listing his bachelor friend, with whom he shares an apartment, as his wife.

Appearing as Vivian Trachtman, Jon's mother will be Marion Tournaud. Marion comes to the Holiday Inn Theatre from the Detroit area where she was a professional actress and a member of the Screen Actor's Guild. As well as appearing in television commercials, Marion also appeared in Death of a Salesman and Whose Life is it Anyway?

Tickets for Love, Sex and the I.R.S. are presently on sale and can be purchased at the Grayling Holiday Inn. Phone in reservations are being accepted at 348-7611. The price of \$12.50 includes a served dinner and the show.

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Looking at those expensive potatoes I knew that peeling them would be the same as burying pennies out in the garden. After a few minutes of thinking I came up with the following:

Diona's Expensive Potatoes About 8 med. potatoes with skins

1/8 tsp sage, rubbed

1/4 tsp basil

1/4 tsp oregano

1/4 tsp marjoram

1/8 tsp rosemary, grd.

1/4 cup melted oleo/butter

2 tbsp each romano & parmesan cheese, grated & mixed.

Add herbs to melted butter and let set. Grease a 7 x 12 pan. Scrub potatoes well and cut out bad spots. Slice the potatoes lengthwise 1/4" thick. Cover bottom of pan with a layer of potatoes, 1/2 of herb butter mixture, and 1/2 of cheese mixture. Repeat again. Cover with foil and bake at 400° for 40 minutes or until done.

Serves 4-6 people.

Be inventive and add onions, pepper, sliced tomatoes, hamburger, etc.

We had these potatoes with cod baked with garlic and parsley and steamed broccoli.

Any questions, please call 517/348-8727 or contact me at Cerelli's Herb Farm in Frederic.

Herbally yours,
E. Diana Cerelli, C.H.

Resource**Review**By Bruce Patrick
Conservation Officer

I have a couple of miscellaneous items that may be of value to some of you.

Each year various pieces of equipment used to violate fish or game laws are confiscated and condemned to the state. These items are usually sold at auction with the proceeds credited to the Game and Fish Protection Fund. These guns, bows, fish poles, spears, lights, etc. are auctioned at the Gaylord Repair Shop, 540 S. Otsego, Gaylord. This year, the auction will be held on Saturday, September 7. More information is available at any DNR office.

Next, I would like to comment on a piece of equipment common to many trout fishermen — the creel. They come in a variety of shapes and sizes and most have a measuring device of sorts on the side. The fishermen ordinarily uses this device to make certain his fish is legal size. Unfortunately, this measuring device is seldom accurate. I have seen them off as much as an inch or more. The canvas creels shrink, others become unreadable. The wise fisherman will mark his rod with those measurements important to him so he will know his fish are legal.

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As some of you may know, a residential care facility for pregnant adolescents has been established in Crawford County to serve the (42) forty-two northern counties of our state. This home, called Kenquest House (searching for knowledge) is being funded through the Michigan Department of Social Services. However, there are several things which these funds will not cover. We are hoping that through this request to our community and surrounding area we might be able to find donations of the following items which we are in need of:

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Baby Supplies (High Chair, Walkers, Swings, Baby Mobiles, Toy Boxes, Dressing Tables, etc.)

Any donations are tax deductible and a receipt will be given to anyone who wishes to have one. Please contact Kenquest House (348-5922) anytime. If no answer call Judy Woodland at Saint Francis Episcopal Church (348-5850) who has helped us in coordinating this effort.

We hope you will give some effort to this. Many of us have great concern about the issue of abortion and teenage pregnancy and here is a positive approach to both of these concerns.

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425th Infantry Rangers In Summer Exercise

By Spec. 5 Sharlene Rhines
126th Public Affairs
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Much has been written and said about the Rangers. Tales abound about the big, brash men who seem to know no fear. They go places and do things most people cringe at the thought of doing.

The Rangers of Company F, 425th Infantry, are no exception. They have earned a reputation for excellence. That reputation was earned through the intense training they conduct.

Like everyone in the National Guard, they spend great deal of time in classes and briefings, learning to be better at what they do. They have to pay close attention during those sessions because their very lives depend on what they learn.

Being airborne rangers, these men jump out of various types of aircraft. "We're required to make four jumps a year to maintain our airborne proficiency," Capt. Robert B. Wangen, company commander said. "We usually make at least eight jumps a year. The more jumps we make the better we get."

One of those jumps was scheduled for Tuesday, June 17, at Phelps-Collins Air Force Base in Alpena where the rangers are conducting their annual training. The jump was to be made from helicopters.

Preparation was extensive. During the pre-jump phase, jumpmasters held classes in which they reviewed all the basic skills of jumping. They covered what the men were to do during their descent, how they were to land, and emergency procedures in the event of malfunctions or entanglements.

They also were reminded to watch for such things as power lines, trees, and water which could cause a hazardous landing.

"These things rarely happen, but we review it before every jump. That way it's fresh in everyone's mind in case something does happen," Wangen said.

Once the jumpmasters were satisfied they were ready, the men moved on to the parachute issue point. As soon as their gear was on, each person received a Jumpmaster Personnel Inspection. Each jumper was inspected one stitch at a time by the jumpmaster.

They then moved on for their pre-jump briefing. Here they were told the number and type of aircraft they would be jumping from and how many people would be jumping. They also were told what their drop speed, altitude, drop heading (direction the aircraft was flying) and drop zone markings would be. At this point they again reviewed the key points of their pre-jump class.

Wangen said jumpmasters are the key personnel in the jump. Though jumpmasters can be officers or enlisted, they are usually middle or senior NCOs (Non-Commissioned Officers).

"Jumpmasters are specially trained personnel. They have the responsibility for the safe conduct of the jump and the safety of all Army personnel on the aircraft. For airborne operations, that jumpmaster, regardless of grade, is the senior person on board. Even I will take orders from him," Wangen said.

Due to the responsibility they have, the jumpmasters are safety conscious. "They have a couple of mottos," Wangen said. "Don't let your mistake cost the life of a jumper" and "The sky, even more than the sea, is totally unforgiving of the slightest mistake."

When the time arrived that the jump was to take place, weather conditions held up the jump. Winds on the ground were blowing between eight and 30 mph, while altitude winds were gusting up to 40 mph. To be done safely the jump couldn't be made until the winds dropped to at least 13 mph.

As they waited beside the runway, NCOs held hip-pocket training. They once again discussed how to pack rucksacks and the correct way to drop with it.

Some men that had problems on previous drops were given advice on what to do if it happened again.

The winds never dropped, so finally, after hours of waiting, the jump was called off.

"We're scrubbing the mission," Staff Sgt. Joseph K. Harnish said. "If it was for real we'd go but when it's just practice we don't sacrifice safety."

So, with disappointment showing, everyone turned in equipment, fell into formation, and marched back to the barracks. There would be another jump during this training period, but that didn't ease the disappointment of not going this time.

Census of Michigan's Rare Kirtland's Warbler

Lansing — A recent census of Michigan's rare Kirtland's warbler (an endangered species), counting 216 singing males, shows that the bird is maintaining its current population levels.

Conducted by the Department of Natural Resources, the U.S. Forest Service and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the census found that the number of singing males in Michigan by county were: Crawford, 80; Oscoda, 80; Ogemaw, 22;

Used Book Sale at Roscommon

Plans are underway for the twelfth annual Used Book Sale sponsored by the Roscommon Branch of the American Association of University Women. The sale will be held on July 13th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the lawn of the Roscommon Middle School.

A.A.U.W. members collect for the sale all year and plan to offer bargain prices on children's books, puzzles, music, paperback and hardbound books covering a wide range of interests.

All proceeds go to Educational Foundation Programs which assist women in need of funds to continue their post-graduate studies and to acquire marketable skills.

Anyone interested in donating books please contact Mona Moore, Houghton Lake 366-5310, Juanita VanValin, Roscommon 275-5307, or Beverly Shortt, West Branch 345-0185.

The plan calls for the preservation of the endangered birds by directing the management of jack pine areas in northeastern Lower Michigan. This is the first year the Kirtland's warblers are nesting in habitat created under the management plan.

Census figures for the past 10 years average 211 singing males a year. Current numbers are well below the 432 males found in 1951 and the 502 reported in 1961. Population declines and a loss of habitat in the 1960s resulted in the development of a recovery program, the Kirtland's Warbler Habitat Management Plan.

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Announce Engagement



Luke and Pauline Petrosky and Dick and Betty Mansfield are pleased to announce the engagement of their children, Monique and Doug. Monique and Doug are both graduates of Grayling High School. Doug is a student at Lawrence Institute of Technology and Monique is attending Wayne State University. Wedding plans are set for August 1986.

Notice of Intent to Request A Release of Funds

Date: July 3, 1985

County of Crawford
Mary E. Harland, Chair
Crawford County Board of Commissioners
Courthouse
Grayling, Mi 49738

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about July 19, 1985 the above named County will request the Michigan Department of Commerce to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) for the following project:

ENERGY MARKET ANALYSIS AND FEASIBILITY STUDY Economic Development Start-Up Grant - Job Creation Crawford County, Michigan 49738 \$25,000

An Environmental Review Record regarding the above project has been made by the above-named County which documents the environmental review of the project. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request.

Crawford County will undertake the project described above with Block Grant Funds from the Michigan Department of Commerce (DOC) under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. Crawford County is certifying to DOC that Crawford County and Ms. Mary E. Harland, in her official capacity as Chair of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, Crawford County may use the Block Grant funds and DOC will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. DOC will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: a) That the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer or other officer of applicant approved by DOC or b) that applicant's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to the Department of Commerce at P.O. Box 30225, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by DOC. No objection received after July 19, 1985 will be considered by DOC.

Mary E. Harland, Chair
Crawford County Board of Commissioners
Courthouse
Grayling, Michigan 49738

Notice of Intent to Request A Release of Funds

Date: July 3, 1985

Grayling Township
Arnold Stancil, Supervisor
P.O. Box 521
Grayling, Mi 49738

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about July 19, 1985 the above named Township will request the Michigan Department of Commerce to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) for the following project:

FOREST PRODUCTS INDUSTRIAL RAILSIDING STUDY Economic Development Start-Up Grant - Job Creation Grayling Township, Michigan 49738 \$15,000

An Environmental Review Record regarding the above project has been made by the above-named township which documents the environmental review of the project. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request.

Grayling Township will undertake the project described above with Block Grant Funds from the Michigan Department of Commerce (DOC) under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. Grayling Township is certifying to DOC that Grayling Township and Mr. Arnold Stancil, in his official capacity as Supervisor of the Grayling Township Board, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, Grayling Township may use the Block Grant funds and DOC will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. DOC will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: a) That the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer or other officer of applicant approved by DOC or b) that applicant's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to the Department of Commerce at P.O. Box 30225, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by DOC. No objection received after July 19, 1985 will be considered by DOC.

Arnold Stancil, Supervisor
Grayling Township
P.O. Box 521
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Editor's Mailbox

To The Editor:

I am writing because I am concerned about the future of the AuSable River system. I have returned to Grayling after being out of this country for nine years, and I came back specifically to go trout fishing. I have worked as an engineering consultant on construction projects in several countries in the near and far east. In the countries I have worked in, I made it a point to try and find trout fishing — this is what I have found even where there is a cold water fishery:

No government control, no conservation department nor conservation officers; sewage being dumped in streams; plastic bags and cans everywhere; mud from overcut forests filling the rivers. I state this as background for my rediscovery of my home state and the "holy water" of the AuSable.

After reading many articles on the controversy over kill and no-kill regulations on this stretch of river, and talking to fishermen on both sides of the issue, I'd like to bring up these points. I have been fishing the South Branch, including the no-kill section, also the North Branch, the holy water of the Main Stream, and the bait-fishing

section above Burton's Landing. I fish most days almost 16 hours a day trying to get in as much as I can while I am here. Since May 31st, I have fished every day and night and have caught 300-400 fish and released them. Just think what would have happened to the fish population if I killed my limit every day! The fun is catching the fish, not killing the fish.

The first thing I noticed is the much larger than average brook trout in the no-kill section of the South Branch as compared to any other part of the AuSable streams. It takes 3 years for a no-kill regulation to have an effect on river. I have released many large brook trout on the South Branch, the biggest 18 inches just last week! When is the last time you have seen brook trout on the AuSable system that big? Moreover, this is only after 2 years of no-kill. This year I have seen many more fishermen in the no-kill section compared to all other sections combined.

Mr. Andrus says in his letter of 6/20/85 that few people are using the South Branch no-kill, yet I've driven down the trails looking for a place to park because all the pull overs are full of cars. I come back every day because it's the best fishing in the system. I've fished the main stream many days and have found that it's not the same river it was 9 years ago. I have talked to people in the camps along the main stream, and they are tired of catching 8-12 inch fish. They want the opportunity to catch larger fish even if they have to release them.

I've read the reports on the slotted size limit. We have lost 47% of trout larger than 12 inches in 4 years. How can you justify keeping the regulations the same? DNR figures show that 73% of fishermen on the main stream release all 8-12 inch fish. The fishing could be much better if given a chance. I have met fishermen from 12 states and 3 countries who have come to the AuSable to fish and in some cases it was their first trip, coming from what they've read and heard. They ask me where are the no-kill sections.

This is a national resource here in Crawford County utilized by people from all over the world. I would like to compliment the people of Michigan and the government regulators on the vast improvement in the appearance of the rivers access roads and parks due to the bottle bill! I'm seeing this with new eyes, and after being away for so long, it's evident we are reaping the benefits now and so will future generations. Another benefit I see is the movement of the camp sites away from the banks of the streams combined with planting the banks and improving the walkways.

I'm looking forward to returning to the beautiful AuSable hoping that I'll come back to a much better AuSable - only possible if the no-kill regulations are accepted and enacted.

Please consider my humble opinions on this most urgent matter.

Sincerely,
Gene Ballew
Rt. 2 Box 2726
Grayling, Mich.

Commission on Aging

ORGAN RECITAL

Tuesday, July 9th, George Rushton will be at COA office, 308 Lawndale Drive, to play the organ for our enjoyment and listening pleasure.

George, 13 year old grandson of John and Blanche Rushton, has played for us before, and has proven he provides a popular and versatile musical program. Welcome back, George.

The public is invited to join us for dinner at 4:30 p.m. and stay for the program. Please call 348-7123 for dinner reservations.

Needle Threading

Threading a needle will be easier if you apply a bit of hair spray or spray starch to the end of the thread. This will stiffen the thread just enough to ease it through the needle's eye.

La Leche League Meeting Notice

If you have considered breastfeeding your baby, but have questions about this womanly art, contact the Grayling-Roscommon La Leche League. This month's meeting, "The Art of Breastfeeding and Overcoming Difficulties," will be held on Thursday, July 11 at 7:30 p.m. at 650 Larson Court, Roscommon.

La Leche League tells a simple story about a simple, natural function. Emphasizing the joys of breastfeeding, it is designed to encourage and inform mothers who desire to nurse their babies.

The meeting discussions include the latest medical research, as well as personal experience.

Expectant mothers are encouraged to attend the series of meetings before the baby arrives. Babies are always welcome. For further information, or for breastfeeding help, call Carolyn Crist at 275-8431.

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PAUL BUNYAN, WHERE ARE YOU? — Paul Bunyan, where are you when I need you, this young girl might be wondering as she struggles to finish sawing through a log the old-fashioned way at Hartwick Pines Sunday during the Tall Timber "Old Time Days." A park employee did step in to assist and the girl and her mother took home a "silver dollar" piece of wood stamped with the Salling Hanson brand. (Jon Thompson Photo)

District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before Judge Joel Mills:

Richard Pieknik, 32, of Grayling, was bound over to circuit court on a charge of malicious destruction for more than \$100. Personal bond was set at \$2,000.

Candy Richards, 27, of Grayling, was bound over to circuit court on a charge of perjury and two charges of welfare fraud. A \$10,000 personal bond was set.

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To The Editor:

Dear Sir,

As a child I was taught to always play fair, in sports & games. How are we supposed to teach our children fair play, when the adults who ump. our little league games, don't play fair?

Little League baseball is a wonderful sport for our kids, that are growing up. But when adults show favorites, during the umpiring of a game, and the team he opposes sees this, it is very disheartening for them, even though they try hard to win the game.

The game referred to was Monday, June 24th at 7:30 p.m. It was Millikins vs Weyerhaeuser. The umpire (not mentioning any names), called plays for the benefit of the Weyerhaeuser team, but when Millikins team made plays that were safe, they were called "outs". I think if people want this to be a better America, they had better start being honest, in work or play.

The Little League Teams work hard to play fair, and try to win games. They don't need any adults cheating to win a game for them! Let's fight for our rights and help the kids be better Americans.

We also don't need persons observing the games to try and start fights with the parents or game officials. The kids know what goes on, and it makes them feel disheartened, to see these things happening.

Come on America! Let's fight for Freedom and Fair Play!

Our Kids need our Support!

An interested bystander at Little League games

Receives Degree From EMU



Constance M. Keene was among 1300 students receiving degrees from Eastern Michigan University at spring commencement April 20th.

Connie graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Education. She was named to the honors list her senior year. Students must have a 3.0 grade point average or higher to be named to the honors list.

This fall Connie will begin a teaching career in Elementary Education.

Elected Officers to CMU Group

Michelle Leal of Grayling, a sophomore at Central Michigan University, was recently elected to the office of treasurer of the Hispanic Student Organization for the 1985-86 school year.

The purpose of the Hispanic Student Organization is to educate the university and community about Hispanic culture, as well as provide social, academic and cultural support for its members.

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 7/7 - 7/13/85

ARIES Mar. 21-Apr. 19

Harmonious family relationships bring favorable results in property dealings and new ventures. Keep communication channels open.

TAURUS Apr. 20-May 20

A compromise is reached with an associate concerning a matter of security. Home beautification is especially favored.

GEMINI May 21-June 20

The responsibilities of the job and your cooperative attitude with co-workers brings a well earned pay hike. Opportunity for expansion leads to increase in assets. There is also a likelihood of a partnership, marital or financial.

LEO July 23-Aug. 22

Confidential matters keep you working behind the scenes. Avoid a tendency to be overly sensitive to comments of the family.

CANCER June 21-July 22

Sharing your talents with members of an organization brings unexpected rewards. Teaching can be very satisfying.

VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Career activities demand your time and attention. Important individuals take an interest in your climb up the ladder.

LIBRA Sept. 23-Oct. 22

Contact with one at a distance brings an offer of substantial gain. Don't delay—get on the road.

SCORPIO Oct. 23-Nov. 21

You can profit from money transactions with others. Observe all the legal requirements. Be discreet in your dealings.

SAGITTARIUS Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Mars joins the Sun in your partnership house and brings a new zest to meet the challenges.

CAPRICORN Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Concern about work has a distinct influence on health matters. Take care of the first and the latter vanishes.

AQUARIUS Jan. 20-Feb. 18

Creative work with the young people brings happiness. Study investment possibilities for assurance of further security.

PISCES Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Backfeed The Hidden Killer

Jackson — Because of the increasing use of home generators, Consumers Power Company has printed a brochure called "Backfeed the Hidden Killer." The title refers to the potential danger that home generators present to utility employees when generators are not properly disconnected from the utility's power system.

The company has begun distributing the brochure to fire departments throughout lower Michigan.

Home generators, according to the brochure, can be safely operated by observing the following six steps:

1. If your system is equipped with a transfer switch, turn it to the OFF position. If not, OPEN main disconnects in the breaker panel.

2. Turn off all appliances.

3. Plug generator into a designated generator outlet or an electrical outlet of adequate capacity.

4. Start generator.

5. Turn transfer switch to GENERATOR or down position on the manual transfer switch.

6. Now turn on selected lights or appliances.

Utility employees making repairs on the same electric circuit could be in danger of electrocution if a home generator is not properly disconnected from the utility system.

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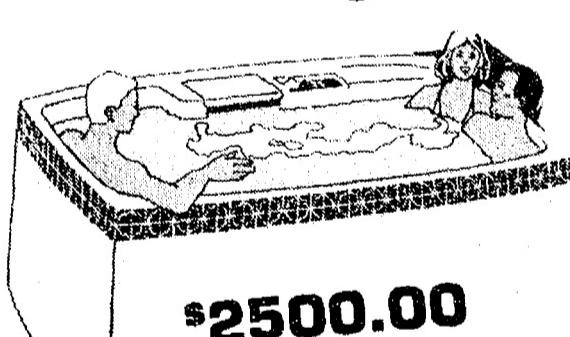
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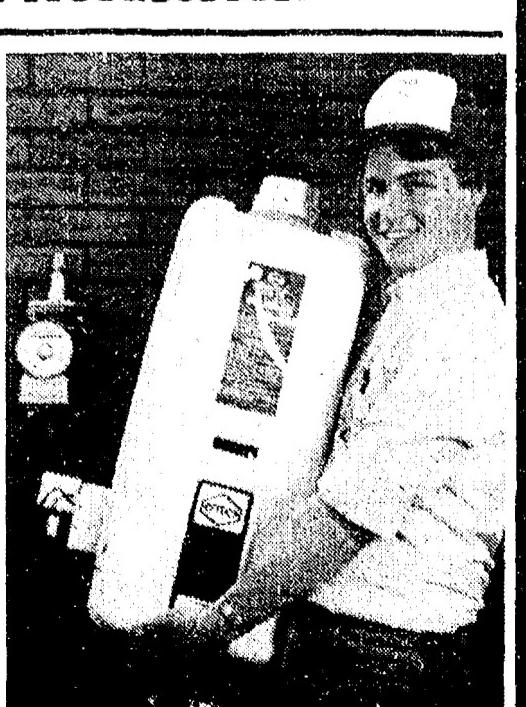
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Chamber Chatter

By Terry Wright

As my first official duty as Director of the Chamber of Commerce I would like to express my thanks to all my friends, both old and new, for the wonderful reception my family and I have had on our return to Grayling. I would especially like to thank the Chamber's Search Committee for selecting me for the position over the many other applications.

My sincere congratulations go to retiring Director Walt Nowak. As Walt turns over the Drectorship, I find current Chamber affairs in excellent condition. Walt is to be commended for the fine job he has done. I am sure I will be tapping his vast knowledge often over the coming month.

My first week has been a busy one but, several things have become immediately apparent:

1. Working with John Alef II and the entire Chamber Board of Directors will be a pleasant and educating experience. They are a very dynamic group.
2. The entire business community is excited about our regions potential for quality growth.
3. Relations between the business community and the Michigan National Guard are excellent.

These three ingredients alone could formulate solutions to many of the opportunities that our region will face in the future. I hope, and plan, to become an integral part of that future and with a little luck the journey will be an exciting one for all of us.

Over the coming weeks I look forward to calling on all of you in the business community. Until then my door is always open, please stop by the Chamber Building and say "Hello"!!

During the past two weeks we have had two Grand Openings; Scheer Motors new show room at the north end of town and the Mercantile Mall on Michigan Ave. which houses two new businesses namely, Annie B's and Sylvesters. These businesses are all members of the Chamber. Two Cottage Rental Businesses have also joined the Chamber Membership. Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond of Riverview Rd. off M-72 West and Ms. Yvonne Waskins of Cub Lake are listed with the Chamber.

We certainly welcome all of these members into the fold and urge our readers to stop in and welcome them to the community.

Best wishes to all.

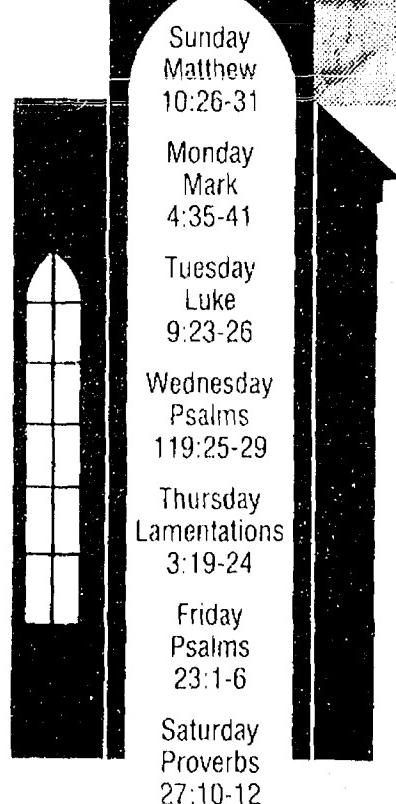
from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

July 4, 1802—U.S. Military Academy formally opens at West Point, N.Y.

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Sunday Matthew 10:26-31
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Thursday Lamentations 3:19-24
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Saturday Proverbs 27:10-12

Scriptures Selected by The American Bible Society

What makes a patriot? How many of us today would be ready to turn out for service at a moment's notice like the "minute men" who fought at Lexington when the American Revolution began?

A national survey of high school and college students recently discovered that a majority of these young people denied that patriotism is vital and plays an important part in our lives.

What makes the difference? Why did young men nearly 200 years ago defend liberty while some of today's citizens deny that to love their country and guard its welfare is essential?

The Church was a more integral part of our forefather's lives. Today as yesterday, we have the same opportunity to learn of the love of God from our churches; here also we grow to respect home, freedom and country. Attend your church or synagogue regularly—and be sure to take your children with you.

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The Michigan State Police have announced plans for a unified effort with law enforcement agencies statewide to eliminate marijuana planting in Michigan. Col. Gerald L. Hough, department director, said the department has received a \$35,000 grant from the federal Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) to continue the Operation HEMP (Help Eliminate Marijuana Planting) program introduced last year.

Only 13 other states seized more cultivated marijuana than Michigan in 1984 according to Robert DeFauw, DEA Special Agent in charge. Statistics reported show that 86,710 marijuana plants in 228 plots with a cash value of nearly \$87 million were burned or plowed under in Michigan last year.

D/F/Lt. Roy Vernier, program coordinator, explained that all police agencies in the state are being notified of the 1985 implementation of Operation HEMP and are being encouraged to work with State Police in a cooperative effort to combat the cultivation of marijuana.

The program has a three-fold purpose - to offset a growing criminal enterprise in the state, remove the profit from such activity thereby discouraging others from becoming involved, and to alert an apathetic public to the dangers of marijuana use.

The public is being asked to assist in this all-out effort by reporting any suspected marijuana planting. A toll-free hotline (1-800-235 HEMP) is provided for this purpose.

Hough explained that Michigan has become increasingly popular for the growing and harvesting of this crop. Not only is this activity illegal, but research has shown that marijuana usage can have serious effects on perception and skilled performance and can interfere with many aspects of mental and physical functions.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Michael W. Maty, a single man of the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, Mortgagor, to Lambrecht Company, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 22nd day of June, A.D. 1984, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 17th day of May, A.D. 1985, in Liber 234 of Crawford County Records, on page 510, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Twenty-seven Thousand Two Hundred Sixty-seven and Seventy-four Hundreds Dollars... (\$27,267.74).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of July, A.D. 1985, at 11:00 o'clock A.M. said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the county building in Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at Fourteen per cent (14%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of South Branch, in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit:

The North 1/2 of Lot 27, McNamara's Valley, No. 1, as recorded in Liber 1 of the plat, page 68, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale.

Dated: Detroit, Michigan

June 6, 1985

Lambrecht Company, A Michigan Corporation Mortgagee

By: Riley and Roumell

Wallace D. Riley Attorney for Mortgagee

720 Ford Building Detroit, Michigan 48226

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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For
The County of Crawford
File No. 85-1027-CK
Jack C. Kaiser, Plaintiff,

vs.
Armando Menendez and Gwen Lynn Menendez, formerly Gwen Lynn Lutz, husband and wife, Defendants.

Douglas C. Dosson P26312 Attorney for Plaintiff

NOTICE OF SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Default Judgment in favor of Plaintiff, Jack C. Kaiser, and against Defendants, Armando Menendez and Gwen Lynn Menendez, formerly Gwen Lynn Lutz, husband and wife, said Default Judgment being entered in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford on June 17, 1985 in the amount of Fourteen Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Six and 54/100 (\$14,766.54) Dollars with interest at 10% per annum from May 11, 1984 together with costs to the Plaintiff by it expended in this cause, the total amount of said Default Judgment being Fourteen Thousand Nine Hundred Six and 54/100 (\$14,906.54) plus interest as mentioned above.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the terms of the said Default Judgment, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of August, 1985 at 10:00 a.m. in the forenoon, said Default Judgment will be enforced by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main entrance of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, in the County of Crawford, that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held, of the premises described in said Default Judgment, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Default Judgment with interest at 10% per annum and all legal costs, expenses and charges including attorney fees allowed by law and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in the premises, which said premises are described as follows: Commencing at the point which is S26°08'E 36 feet from the intersection of the center of the Old MCRR right-of-way and the East bank of the AuSable River for a Point of Beginning; thence N65°38'E 117.0 feet to the Westerly right-of-way of County Road 612; thence S1°16'W along said right-of-way 127.8 feet; thence S79°52'W 96.0 feet to the Easterly bank of the North Branch of the AuSable River; thence N5°29'W along said river 96.7 feet to the Point of Beginning. Being a part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 and a part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 19, Town 28 North, Range 1 West, Lovells Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated: May 21, 1985
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Bernard L. Hamilton and
Phyllis J. Hamilton,
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For
The County of Crawford
File No. 84-6-901-CH

Richard A. Benfield and
Virginia Benfield,
husband and wife,
Plaintiffs,
vs.

Neil T. Goeckerman and
Catherine L. Goeckerman,
husband and wife,
and Harold L. Moon,
Attorney in
Fact for International
Fidelity Insurance Company,
Defendants.

Douglas C. Dosson P26312 Attorney for Plaintiffs

NOTICE OF SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure in favor of Plaintiffs, Richard A. Benfield and Virginia Benfield, husband and wife, and against Defendants, Neil T. Goeckerman and Catherine L. Goeckerman, husband and wife, and wife, said Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure being entered in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford on June 17, 1985 in the amount of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Two and 04/100 (\$12,502.04) Dollars with interest at 9 1/2% per annum from May 31, 1984 together with costs to the Plaintiff by it expended in this cause in the amount of \$80.00, the total amount of said Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure being Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Two and 04/100 (\$12,582.04) plus interest as mentioned above.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the terms of the said Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of August, 1985 at 10:00 a.m. in the forenoon, said Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure will be enforced by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main entrance of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, in the County of Crawford, that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held, of the premises described in said Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Default and Summary Judgment of Foreclosure with interest at 9 1/2% per annum and all legal costs, expenses and charges including attorney fees allowed by law and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of South Branch, in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as follows: The North 1/2 of Lot 27, McNamara's Valley, No. 1, as recorded in Liber 1 of the plat, page 68, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale.

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the terms of said Judgment and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of August, 1985, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said Judgment will be enforced by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Crawford

Dated: Detroit, Michigan

June 6, 1985

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CARD OF THANKS

On behalf of the loss of my husband and our father, Robert Harcourt, I want to thank all my friends and family for their cards, flowers, prayers, and words of comfort, the ambulance people, Doctors Burkley & Gosling, the wonderful people of Frederic, Assembly of God & Abundant Life for their dinner.

A special thanks to my nephew, Ralph, for the beautiful song and Reverend Floyd Holland, for no better words were spoken.

God Bless you all,
Betty Harcourt & Family

Communi-Call System

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the country. "The program has been very successful in providing what you might call a live-in companion for the users," he added.

Health Care Technology Corporation classifies the system as both an emergency and non-emergency system. Users are encouraged to use the system as often as they wish for just social visits. Jim Riffle, marketing representative for HCTC, said users of the system generally make several calls the first month or two they are on the program. "Using the unit familiarizes the user with its operation and builds their confidence in the system," he said. Additionally, it provides them with a companion to talk to occasionally when they are lonely, or feeling anxious about their confinement. Mr. Riffle said users average 13 calls per month, once they have settled into the program.

As an emergency system, the units provide security for the individual. Help is just a push of the button away. Operators at HCTC are trained to handle emergency situations. Typically, when an emergency

call comes in, the operator tries to establish voice contact, if this is not possible, the operator notifies the local emergency services in the area i.e., fire, police, ambulance, or contacts a nearby friend or relative.

In an emergency, the operator stays on the line to calm the person while help is on the way. The operator is there to help answer questions when emergency personnel arrive. Also, they alert Mercy Hospital that a Communi-Call patient is enroute to the hospital. The hospital is then prepared with the patient's medical history when he or she arrives, saving precious time in treatment.

Mercy Hospital is very excited about the program. "We live in an area of Michigan with a high percentage of elderly and homebound individuals. Our goal has been to develop services and programs designed to help this segment of our population. Communi-Call is just one more way Mercy Hospital can provide assistance for our aging population. And, our gratitude goes out to organizations like the Grayling Kiwanis for helping us make it possible," said Mr. Packard.

Completes Air Force Course

Air Force Lt. Col. Susan L. Pamerleau, daughter of Dr. Truce V. and Mary N. Lewellyn of 1814 Big Bend Road, Poplar Bluff, Mo., has completed the 10-month course at the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Washington.

The college is one of two senior service colleges comprising the National Defense University, located at Fort Lesley J. McNair.

The graduate level courses at the college covered the entire field of national security affairs, with emphasis on the management of resources in dealing with problems of national security.

Students were selected to attend the school on the basis of performance and potential.

Pamerleau will now serve at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas, with the Manpower and Personnel Center.

Her husband, Air Force Lt. Col. John D. Pamerleau, is the son of George R. and Elizabeth Pamerleau of Rural Route 4, Grayling.

She is a 1968 graduate of Phillips University, Enid, Okla.

Bits O'Talk

Howard & Eloise Schmidt are moving to Avon, Colorado. They wish to invite anyone going west on Highway 70 to stop and see them. They are going to be located 100 miles West of Denver at Exit 67. (5 miles West of Vail) Avon - Beaver Creek Blvd. C207, Avon, Colo 81620. Mailing Address is P.O. Box 1681, Avon, Colo 81620. Phone 949-4159.

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July 6 - Lovells Flea Market & Bake Sale - Township Hall 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
July 8 - Indiana National Guard Reception - City Park 5-7 pm
July 9 - Story Hour - Puppet Show - Mt. Hope Luth. Church 10 a.m.
July 11 - Indiana National Guard Officer's Reception Holiday Inn 5 - 7 p.m.
July 11 - Little League - Holiday Inn 7 p.m.
July 13 - Flapjack Breakfast - Edgewater on the AuSable 9 - 11 a.m. - \$3.50 per person

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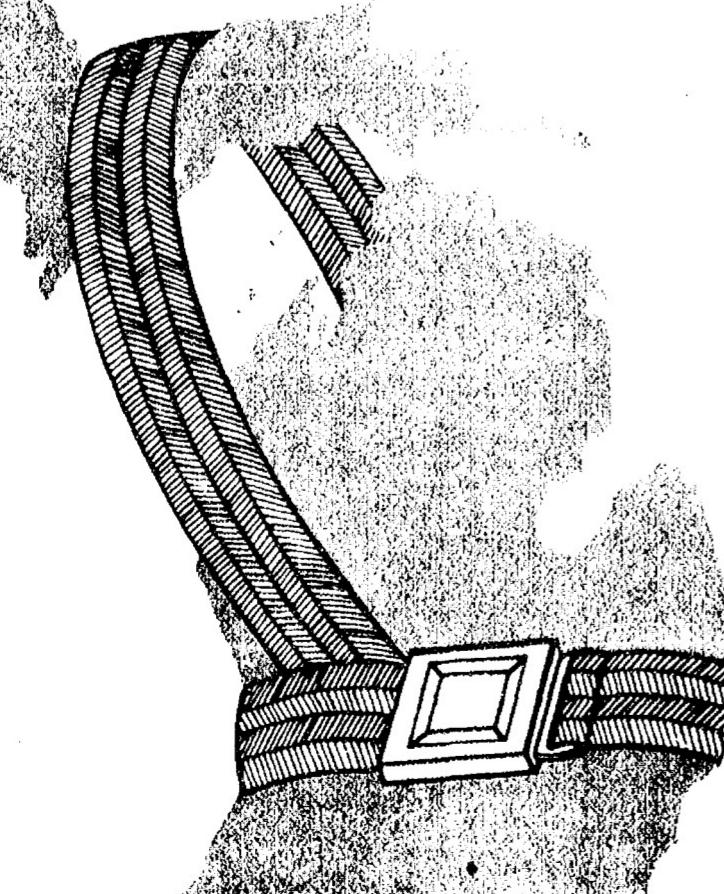
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The Guest Speaker at the Annual Meeting will be Gaylord Alexander, Fisheries Biologist at the Hunt Creek Research Station at Lewiston. Mr. Alexander is also involved in research concerning the AuSable River System.

The AuSable River System Property Owners Association membership includes not only Property Owners along the AuSable Rivers but also Property Owners within the AuSable Watershed. Interested Property Owners, whether members of the Association or not, are invited to attend the meeting.

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